

UTAH DIV. OF ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE AND REMEDIATION
INCIDENT NOTIFICATION **Number:** 5323

Received By: Ann Tillia

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REPORTING PARTY

Name: Tom Rushing
Company : UDEQ/DWQ
Phone: 801-538-6951
Date: 6/28/2004 **Time:** 12:57
Incident Began: 6/28/2004 **Time:** 7:30
Incident Ended: **Time:**

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RESPONSIBLE PARTY

Name: J.D. Field Service
Address: P.O. Box 336 Vernal, Utah 84078
Phone: 435-781-1242

INCIDENT SUMMARY

Caller reports a release of diesel fuel to the soil. The incident occurred at a mining operation and involved a truck that over turned. Approximately 3 gallons of diesel was released. No waterways were affected. The incident location is 15 miles north of Vernal.

UPDATE 6/28/04 15:00; From the mining company - SimPlot Phosphate Mine reports that a driver contracted to haul material accidentally over turned. The driver was backing up the belly-bottom tanker over ground that was higher in elevation on one side of the vehicle. The load was heavier on the down gradient side of the truck and it turned over. The driver received some injuries and was taken to a hospital to be held over night for observation of potential complications. The diesel leak was slow and the exact point of rupture was not known. No other engine liquids were spilled. The spilled quantity of diesel may have been as much as 10-15 gallons. Mine and Safety persons are investigating the incident as required at mining operations. The contaminated soil will likely be reprocessed on site.

Incident Location: 15 miles north of Vernal

Nearest City: Vernal

Highway:

Milemarker: 0

County: Uintah

In Waterway:

NRC Report #:

LEAD AGENCY: DERR
Contact: Ann Till.

800 536-4100

ASSISTANCE PROVIDED:

Contact at SimPlot Phosphate Mine whom provided the update is Dennis Glines.

NOTIFICATIONS MADE FOR THIS INCIDENT:

Agency	Contact	Date	Time
DWQ	Tom Rushing	6/29/2004	15:50
TriCounty Health	Group Email	6/29/2004	15:50
DOGM	Wayne Hedberg (email)	6/29/2004	15:50

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The information is considered preliminary and is subject to revision. The reported incident and associated details may or may not be valid. Additional information concerning this incident may be available by contacting the Division at (801) 536-4100.